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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Arizona Corporation Commission

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IN THE MATTER OF THE
APPLICATION OF SPRINT
COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY L.P.
TO DISCONTINUE BUSINESS LONG
DISTANCE SERVICE IN ARIZONA.

DOCKETED BY

DOCKET NO. T-02432B-16-0241

NOTICE OF FILING AFFIDAVITS
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NOTICE

Sprint Communications Company L.P. ("Sprint"), through its undersigned counsel, hereby submits the attached affidavits of publication. The Notice of Application to Discontinue and Cancel Service by Sprint Communications Company L.P. was published in the following Arizona Counties:

County Name	Date of Notice
Apache County	July 22, 2016
Coconino County	July 20, 2016
La Paz County	July 20, 2016
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Navajo County	July 22, 2016
Pima County	July 19, 2016
Santa Cruz County	July 22, 2016

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 22nd day of August, 2016.

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Scott S. Wakefield
5045 North 12th Street, Suite 110
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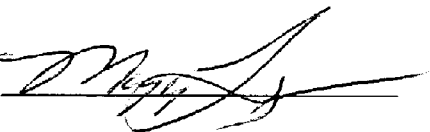
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4 Arizona Corporation Commission
5 1200 W. Washington Street
6 Phoenix, AZ 85007

7 COPIES of the foregoing hand-
8 delivered this 22nd day of August, 2016, to:

9 Thomas M. Broderick, Director
10 Utilities Division
11 Arizona Corporation Commission
12 1200 W. Washington Street
13 Phoenix, AZ 85007

14 Janice Alward, Chief Counsel
15 Legal Division
16 Arizona Corporation Commission
17 1200 W. Washington Street
18 Phoenix, AZ 85007

19 Dwight Nodes
20 Chief Administrative Law Judge
21 Arizona Corporation Commission
22 1200 W. Washington Street
23 Phoenix, AZ 85007

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State of Arizona)
) ss.
County of Apache)

Affidavit of Publication

White Mountain Independent

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Attention Docket Control

RE: Sprint Communications Company L.P.,
Docket No. T-02432B-16-0241.

1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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I, Sally Moreno being first duly sworn, depose and say: I am the agent of the White Mountain Publishing Company, publisher of the White Mountain Independent, a semi-weekly newspaper of general circulation published at St. Johns, County of Apache, Arizona and that the copy hereto attached is a true copy of the advertisement as published in the White Mountain Independent on the following date(s):

July 22, 2016

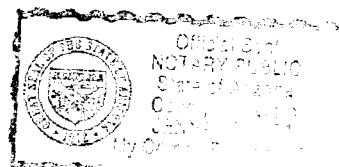
White Mountain Independent

Sally Moreno

Sworn to me this day of
July 25, 2016 A.D.

Tenne Hunt

Notary Public



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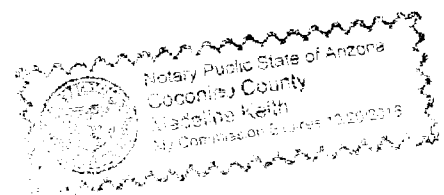
I, Debbie White, Publisher of the WILLIAMS-GRAND CANYON NEWS, a newspaper of general circulation published at Williams, Coconino County, Arizona, do solemnly swear that a copy of this notice, as per clipping attached, was published weekly in the regular and entire issue of said paper and not in any supplement thereof, ONE (1) consecutive weeks, commencing with issue dated July 20, 2016 and ending with issue dated July 20, 2016.

Debbie White, Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of July, 2016.



Madeline Keith, Notary Public
My commission expires October 20, 2016.



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STATE OF ARIZONA

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COUNTY OF LA PAZ

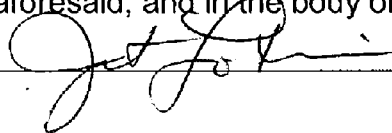
I, **Janet Fotino**, being duly sworn, says that during the publication of the notice, as herein mentioned, she was and now is an Authorized Agent of **The Parker Pioneer**, a one-time week newspaper published on Wednesday of each and every week at the City of Parker, in La Paz County, State of Arizona. That said newspaper was printed and published as aforesaid on the following date, to-wit:

Notice of Application
to Discontinue and Cancel Service

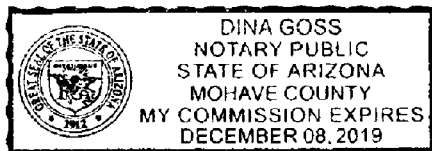
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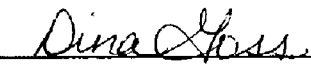
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of July, 2016.





Notary Public
December 8, 2019
My Commission Expires

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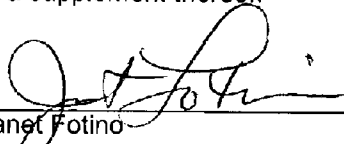
I, **Janet Fotino**, being duly sworn, says that during the publication of the notice, as herein mentioned, she was and now is an Authorized Agent of **Today's News-Herald**, a seven-times weekly newspaper published on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each and every week at the City of Lake Havasu City, in Mohave County, State of Arizona. That said newspaper was printed and published as aforesaid on the following dates, to-wit:

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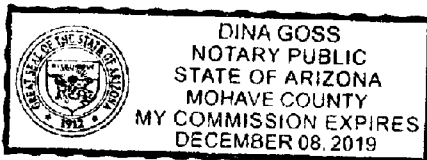
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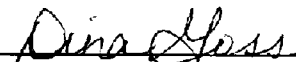
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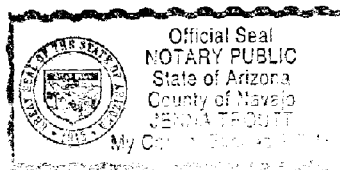
White Mountain Independent

Sally Moreno

Sworn to me this
25th July, 2016 A.D

Jenna Trout

Notary Public



Ajo Copper News

Hollister David, Publisher
Gabrielle David, Editor
Michelle Pacheco, Office Manager

P. O. Box 39 • Ajo, Arizona 85321
Phone (520) 387-7688

FAX (520) 387-7505

STATE OF ARIZONA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF PIMA)

Hollister David deposes and says that he is the publisher of the *Ajo Copper News*, a weekly newspaper of general circulation and established character, published weekly at Ajo, Pima County, Arizona, and that

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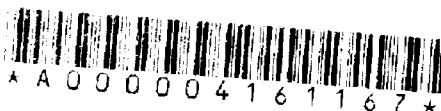
a correct copy of which is attached to this affidavit, was published in the said *Ajo Copper News* every week in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement for

Publ. July 19, 2016

Hollister David, Publisher,
Ajo Copper News

Sworn to and subscribed before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of Pima, Arizona, this 19 day of July, 2016.

Notary Public



AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

FELICIA LEON

Felicia Leon

STATE OF ARIZONA)

: SS

COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ)

being first

Duly sworn, deposes and says: That (he) (she) is the Agent to the Publisher of the NOGALES INTERNATIONAL newspaper printed and published two days weekly in the City of Nogales, County of Santa Cruz, State of Arizona. That the notice, a copy of which is hereto attached, described as follows:



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DISCONTINUE NOTICE
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COMPANY LP

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Request of

MAGGIE LOUGEE

NOGALES INTERNATIONAL

268 W VIEW POINT, NOGALES, AZ 85621 (520)375-5760

By

Manuel C. Coppola

22nd JULY
day of

Subscribed sworn to before me this

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Manuel C. Coppola
Notary Public
Santa Cruz County, Arizona
My Commission Expires 02-26-19

Notary Public in and for the County of Santa Cruz, State of Arizona

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